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Applicant: TOSHIO KASAMA ET AL
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Title: OPHTHALMIC OINTMENTS FOR TREATING INFECTIVE
EYE DISEASES

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Prior to calculation of the filing fee and prior to examination, please
amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE SPECIFICATION

Page 1, line 1, cancel "Technical Field" and insert --BACKGROUND OF
THE INVENTION--

line 7, cancel "Background Art"

Page 2, line 14, cancel "Disclosure of the invention" and substitute
therefor --SUMMARY OF THE INVENTION--

Page 4, line 12, cancel "Best Mode for Carrying Out the Invention" and
insert --DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF THE PREFERRED EMBODIMENTS--

Page 11, line 1, cancel "Claims" and insert --WHAT IS CLAIMED IS:--

IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend Claims 2-5 as follows:

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